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Applicant: KAO et al.

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Examiner: Diaz, J.

Title: **"METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SPLIT GATE SOURCE SIDE INJECTION FLASH MEMORY CELL AND ARRAY WITH DEDICATED ERASE GATES"**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 CFR § 1.114**

## 1. Submission required under 37 CFR §1.114

- a.  Previously submitted
  - i.  Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
  - ii.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
  - iii.  Other: Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449 and references filed on June 29, 2000.
- b.  Enclosed
  - i.  Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and Preliminary Amendment;
  - ii.  Postcard for date-stamped return as confirmation of receipt of these materials;  
and
  - iii.  Copy of Terminal Disclaimer (and corresponding documents) originally filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

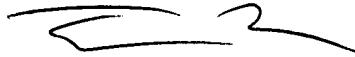
## 2. Miscellaneous

- a.  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months.
- b.  Other:

3. Fees

- a.  Check No. 126817 in the amount of \$740.<sup>00</sup> is enclosed for the required fees.
  - i.  RCE fee (\$740.<sup>00</sup>) required under 37 CFR §1.17(e);
- b.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 02-3964.

Respectfully submitted,

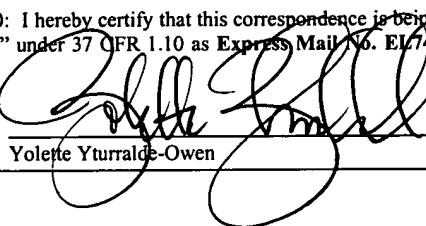
  
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